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STATEMENT BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE GOVERNING COUNCIL OF THE UNITED NATIONS COMPENSATION COMMISSION IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE DECISION CONCERNING THE FIRST INSTALMENT OF "E2" CLAIMS (DOCUMENT S/AC.26/Dec.53 (1998)) MADE AT THE 79TH MEETING OF THE GOVERNING COUNCIL, HELD ON 1 JULY 1998 AT GENEVA

In adopting the report and recommendations made by the Panel of Commissioners concerning the first instalment of "E2" claims (S/AC.26/1998/7), the Governing Council is conscious of the fact that the recommendations were made on the basis of the particular facts of the four cases included in the report.

The Governing Council reaffirms its important role in reviewing future reports submitted by other panels of Commissioners so as to ensure that the reports are prepared in a manner conforming with Security Council resolution 687 (1991) and the pertinent Governing Council decisions.

Other panels should take this report into account while reviewing claims in the light of the particular, relevant facts and circumstances.